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FM AMCONSUL KARACHI

TO MCDONNELL DOUGLAS AIRCRAFT CO

3855 LAKEWOOD BLVD

LONG BEACH CALIF

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INFO AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD

SECSTATE WASHDC 9086

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAIR, BBAK, PK

SUBJ: DOUGLAS AIRCRAFT INQUIRY

REF: ISLAMABAD 7041 (NOTAL)

FOR S.C. ALMQUIST 18-99

1. REFERENCE YOUR RECENT CABLE TO AMERICAN EMBASSY, ISLAMABAD.
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS RAISED ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- 1) YES, PIA IS CONSIDERED INSTRUMENTALITY OF GOVT OF PAKISTAN.
- 2) GOP OWNS 91 PERCENT SHARES WHICH WERE PURCHASED AT TIME OF
PIA'S FORMATION; REMAINING 9 PERCENT OWNED BY OTHER SHARE-
HOLDERS.
- 3) PIA HAS 10-MAN BOARD OF DIRECTORS; 9 ARE APPOINTED BY
VARIOUS MINISTRIES OF GOP, ONE IS APPOINTED BY MINORITY
SHAREHOLDERS.
- 4) PIA IS AUTONOMOUS GOVERNMENT AGENCY AND THEREFORE EMPLOYEES
ARE NOT CONSIDERED TO BE CIVIL SERVANTS. RETIREMENT BENEFITS
ARE FUNDED ENTIRELY BY PIA WITH NO GOVERNMENT ASSISTANCE.

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